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praise the Russian admiral as showing the first evidence of bold initiative. Russia has thus far given, it is the general view, that Tolstoyevsky is likely to fight a landing battle in carrying out his design to sacrifice his own ships in order to cripple the naval strength of Japan.

**Germans Off for Vladivostok.** (By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Ill., April 15.—A Chicago Daily News special from Singapore says: "Four German colliers, which were anchored off Cape St. James, Indo-China, last night, are being ordered to leave the anchorage Thursday, and are expected to be making for Vladivostok, the supposed objective of the Baltic fleet."

**New Japanese Boats.** (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15.—Information has reached Washington through Europe, that the Japanese navy has, within the last few days, commissioned three new torpedo boats, destroyers, built in Japanese shipyards. It is believed that within six weeks twenty-five additional destroyers, building under "rush" orders, will be put in commission. Three hundred and eighty-one mines planted by Japanese in front of Port Arthur, have been taken up and re-planted elsewhere.

## SITUATION IN FIELD.

Preparations Progressing for Japanese Turning Movement. Fight Near Heishihimu.

(By Associated Press.) GUNSHU PASS, MANCHURIA, April 15.—The expected Japanese turning movement is not developing, but preparations, it is understood, are progressing. Reinforcements, food and ammunition are being brought up from Niu-chang. The Japanese in occupation of a hill south on either side of the railroad.

(By Associated Press.) TOKIO, April 17, 7 A. M.—The following official announcement was made today from the headquarters of the Japanese army in Manchuria:

"Our force, advancing east along the Hailung road, defeated a body of the enemy April 14th, near Heishihimu, ten miles east of Panshi, and vigorously chased them toward Pachtou, twenty-six miles east of Panshi. "Another force, advancing north from Singking, attacked the enemy, holding a position five miles south of Pachtou. "There has been no change elsewhere in the military situation."

(By Associated Press.) ST. PETERSBURG, April 15.—General Linvitch, in a dispatch to Emperor Nicholas, dated yesterday, says:

"Our cavalry, April 10th, found the Japanese in occupation of a hill southward of Mount Gaochan, in the valley of the Hun River. The cavalry turned this position and forced the Japanese to evacuate it and retire westward."

## THE TENCH CASE.

Judge Mullen Sustains Demurrer—Appeal to Be Taken.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, Va., April 15.—Judge J. M. Mullen, of the Hastings County, rendered his decision this morning in the damages suit of Charles E. Tench against the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company for alleged libel, in which the jury awarded the plaintiff forty-five hundred dollars, and counsel for the defendant demurred to the evidence and moved the court to set aside the verdict. Judge Mullen sustained the demurrer, but did not set aside the verdict. Counsel for the plaintiff were given thirty days to prepare a bill of exceptions, and notice was given that an application would be made to the Court of Appeals for a writ of error.

## CHICAGO STRIKERS ATTACKED CARAVAN

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, April 15.—With the employers and the union officers in a deadlock over the teamsters' strike, Mayor Dunne abandoned his peace conferences, but announced that he was still determined to find a solution of the difficulty between Montgomery, Ward and Company and their employees. Infuriated teamsters attacked a caravan of Montgomery, Ward and Company wagons near the Northwestern freight house at Kingle and West Water Streets today, dragging John A. Cox, a non-union driver from his wagon. The attack was made so quickly that the police were taken by surprise, and it was only after a desperate fight that Cox was rescued.

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## TRAVELERS END THEIR SESSION

Richmond Selected as the Next Place of Meeting.

## OFFICERS AND DELEGATES

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, Va., April 15.—The election of officers, delegates to the next national convention, passing resolutions of thanks and final adjournment constituted the main work to-day in the T. P. A. convention. Richmond was chosen as the next place of meeting, and many Richmond men were elected delegates to the national convention, which will meet in Savannah, Ga., on the 16th of May.

Despite the great and late festivities of last night, the convention was called to good order this morning by the newly-elected president, J. D. Oliver, of Danville and proceeded to fill the remaining pages as follows: First Vice-President, C. D. Barber, of Norfolk; Second Vice-President, Jos. Stebbins, South Boston; State Board of Directors, J. H. Capers, Jr., Richmond, one year; J. H. Hill, Richmond, one year; Thos. E. Boardman, Richmond, one year; J. O. Boardman, Richmond, one year; Simon, Seaward, Petersburg, two years; John J. King, Norfolk, one year; J. Williams, Alexandria, two years; D. S. Beckwith, Petersburg, two years; W. S. Sale, Lynchburg, two years.

Mr. H. L. Harwood, of Richmond, was chosen secretary and treasurer, and committee chairmen were elected as follows: Railroad, R. W. Spilman, Richmond; Press, R. B. Walcott, Richmond; Hotel, E. H. Clowes, Richmond; Employment, M. C. Patterson, Richmond; Membership, H. F. Smith, Richmond; Legislative, Col. J. S. Harwood, Richmond; Rev. J. J. Gravatt, of Richmond, was chosen moderator. Twenty-two gentlemen were nominated to be delegates to the Savannah national convention.

A short business session at the Country Club fourteen were elected as follows: R. W. Spilman, Richmond; W. S. Sale, Norfolk; J. J. Williams, Alexandria; O. H. Kirk, Alexandria; D. W. Sale, Lynchburg; B. B. Adams, Lynchburg; C. E. Holland, Norfolk; W. C. Powell, Norfolk; R. F. Downing, Danville, and the following Richmond men: M. S. Valentine, R. L. Winston, J. L. Hill, E. H. Clowes.

The morning session work at A. P. Hill Camp Hall was suspended at half past one o'clock, nearly all business having been completed, and the delegates took a trip over the city and suburban lines of the Virginia Passenger and Car Company, as guests of Mr. Augustus Wright. Then the Country Club was reached, and the evening session commenced, not to be interrupted, except for a few minutes' business, during the whole afternoon.

**ELABORATE LUNCH.** A bountiful lunch was most attractively served by a corps of charming young ladies, chaperoned by Mrs. R. O. Egerton and Mrs. R. H. Scott.

Music, dancing and a chorus that made the club hall ring were briefly suspended when the names of the delegates to the national convention were announced and the usual resolution of thanks were read. Then the speakers took the floor, and ex-President Brockett, President Brockett and Colonel J. S. Harwood, of Richmond, toasted the ladies in eloquent language, each speaker declaring that Petersburg had reserved her greatest attraction until the last moment. Colonel Harwood declared that woman was rapidly acquiring all man's rights and properties, even his tailor-made clothes.

After adjournment the big party boarded the trolley cars and rode into town to the handsome new depot of the Robert Porter Brewing Company, of Alexandria, where another celebration was held this evening.

## JOHN L. SULLIVAN TO FIGHT MITCHELL

(By Associated Press.) TACOMA, WASHINGTON, April 15.—The sporting editor of a Tacoma newspaper has it is said, succeeded in matching John L. Sullivan, former champion pugilist of the world, and Chas. McCarthy, champion boxer of England, for twenty-round bout. Marquis of Queensberry rules; the battle to occur some time in May. McCarthy is a native of Tacoma, where boxing is permitted.

## TO FIGHT TRUST.

Turpentine Operators in South Organizing for Struggle.

(By Associated Press.) HATTIESBURG, MISS., April 15.—Turpentine operators in Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas will hold a conference here next Wednesday to discuss the means to procure and maintain the best prices for their products. It is said the meeting is called to form a union of the operators, to oppose the so-called turpentine trust, and to arrange for the handling of naval stores by a corporation representing the producers direct. A similar movement was recently launched by the Atlantic Coast operators at a meeting at Jacksonville, Fla.

## STUDENTS MAKE VIGOROUS REPLY

Dr. Taylor Loyal Defended by Class Before Which He Lectured.

## NO GROUND FOR OFFENSE

Discourse on "Science and Soul" Induced Only Sober Thought.

At a meeting of the student body of the Medical College of Virginia, held April 14, 1905, after discussing the newspaper reports of Dr. Taylor's recent lecture after hearing the reports of several students regarding what they had heard said in some of the Sunday sermons regarding this lecture, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

- Resolved, That the News-Leader in its report of the lecture of Dr. Taylor on "Science and the Soul" was garbled and incorrect. Recognizing the power of the daily press in educating and moulding public thought and sentiment, we protest against the practice followed by many news reporters, who, at their paragraphs, abbreviate the substance and thus destroy the logical structure of the lecture and unlikewise its chain of argument and thought, thereby causing the reading public to form an erroneous impression as to the mind and character of the lecturer.
- Resolved, That several ministers made in their sermons on Sunday, April 9th, sensational use of an incorrect report of Dr. Taylor's lecture without crediting themselves of the public invitation from Dr. Taylor to read his lecture in full, and that such conduct on the part of the ministers of the Gospel is reprehensible, unjust, misleading and un-Christian.
- Resolved, That as Dr. Taylor in his lecture confined himself strictly to scientific truths and refrained from the expression of personal belief concerning the theological view of the immortality of the soul, treating all creeds with consideration and respect, he is not deserving of the abuse that has been heaped upon him by a few arrogant and sensational individuals.
- Resolved, That we, the student body, found no offence in the lecture and that it was not an argument against any belief of sect, but wholly a collection of scientific facts, the hearing of which could only be conducive to sober thought, in which lies the real basis of truth, religion and faith.
- Resolved, That we concur fully with the letter in defence of Dr. William H. Taylor, published in the News-Leader, April 14th, and signed, "A Student at the Medical College."
- Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the faculty, the News-

Leader and Times-Dispatch for publication. REV. R. TUCKER, Senior Class. T. D. JONES, Junior Class. J. E. STRYKER, Sophomore Class. W. J. SEALE, Freshman Class. Committee.

## T. P. A. CONVENTION.

Annual Meeting of the Ninth Carolina Division.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., April 15.—The sixteenth annual meeting of the T. P. A. Association, was held here to-day at the North Carolina Division, Travelers' Hotel. Mayor O. B. Eaton delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Mr. E. V. Donham, ex-national President, who gave some interesting facts and figures relating to the organization and its growth, especially in the South. State Secretary Marsh's annual report showed a net gain the past year in membership for this division of 195, the total given being 1,683, and while still a membership, it would be increased to 400 by May 1st.

A telegram was received from the Virginia association extending greetings and best wishes for the North Carolina convention. Officers were elected as follows: President, C. E. Brown, of Winston-Salem; Vice-President, C. C. McLean, of Greensboro; James J. Johnson, of Raleigh; T. M. Evans, of High Point; Paul Chatham, of Charlotte; Secretary and Treasurer B. H. Marsh, of Raleigh. Delegates to National Convention, at Savannah, Ga.—Geo. Pritchard, Greensboro; C. E. Tomlinson, High Point; B. H. Marsh, of Raleigh; C. C. McLean, Greensboro; P. E. Page, Asheville. A salary of \$100 was voted to Secretary Marsh, and the delegates were tendered a banquet by Post B. of this city.

## ITALIAN AMBASSADOR.

Visits Colony of His Countrymen in Burke County.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 15.—The Italian Ambassador, Signor Meyer Des Planches, paid an official visit to the Italian colony at Valdese, Burke county, to-day. A mass meeting was held in the Madonna Church erected by the Valdese there, and over three hundred colonists greeted the ambassador. He made a stirring speech, which was responded to by the priest of the colony, Mr. V. Richards, and the Italian agent of the Southern Railway, industrial agent of the colony, Signor Des Planches is making a tour of the South, studying the opportunities for Italian settlements here.

## RADFORD SOCIAL.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RADFORD, VA., April 15.—The afternoon social was charmingly entertained Tuesday afternoon by Misses Gertrude Venable and Melba Wilson at the home of the latter, on Third Street. Refreshments consisted of ices and sweets. After tea had been served, a tray covered with jonquils was passed, on which was a souvenir for each guest. The affair was a social and artistic affair, and a tale of its own, and set the fair company discussing the happy event. In a double heart, smiled the faces of Miss Gertrude Venable and Mr. Lewis Ingles, who were water colors by Miss Venable's mother and sister in law. Below was the date, "April 15th, in gilt letters. This was the first announcement of the marriage of this popular and prominent young couple, for no date have been sent out, owing to the death of Colonel George W. Salem.

Miss Blanche Adams is convalescing from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Miss Mabel Jordan attended the large social given by the Radford Social, returning to school the same day. Colonel William Battle, of Roanoke, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. K. Cowan, Sunday. Mr. Hal C. Tyler left Tuesday for Charlottesville to attend the installation of Dr. Alderman.

**A Dental Congress.** NORFOLK, Va., April 15.—Initial steps looking to the holding of an international dental congress in Norfolk during the Jamestown Exposition in 1907 have been taken by the Virginia Dental Association. A committee has been named to take the matter up with a view to bringing it to the attention of the Virginia and Norfolk dental associations. The idea is to hold an international congress of dentists, such as was held at Chicago, Buffalo and St. Louis, the National Association to meet here at the same time.

## OBITUARY

### Edward Snellings.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, Va., April 15.—Edward Snellings, a well-known citizen of Fredericksburg, Stafford county, died last night, aged 42 years, survived by his wife and three children.

### Elder Daniel Baker.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINCHESTER, VA., April 15.—Elder Daniel Baker, a leading farmer and Dunkard preacher, of this county, died last night near Vaucluse, aged 81. His was the first death to occur in his family in forty years. A widow and six children survive.

### Professor J. E. Yoder.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LYNCHBURG, VA., April 15.—Prof. J. E. Yoder, who for years has been principal of the colored high school of this city, died to-day at noon, after a long illness. He was a native of Pennsylvania, where he was born sixty-seven years ago. He came here shortly after the Civil War, and was a prominent member of College Hill Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and five sons.

### Captain J. H. Wood.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., April 15.—Captain John H. Wood, of Camden, N. J., died suddenly this morning. He was here attending to the refitting of the steam yacht Marjorie, belonging to Henry W. Savage, the theatre manager of New York, intending to sail on her in a few days. His body was embalmed and his mother will accompany it to Camden.

### Peter Rosenbaum.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WYTHESVILLE, VA., April 15.—Mr. Peter Rosenbaum, who was paralyzed Thursday, died yesterday at 1 o'clock. He was 71 years of age, and was a Confederate veteran.

### General John Palmer.

(By Associated Press.) ALBANY, N. Y., April 15.—General John Palmer, former commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died here to-day after a long illness. His death resulted from a wound at the spine, which he received in the Civil War, and from which he suffered since that conflict. He was one of the most prominent members of the Grand Army of the Republic in the country, being commander-in-chief of that order in 1892. He was also a member of the State of New York on the Republican ticket of 1888, and held that office for two years. He held many other posts of trust, and was one of Albany's most prominent citizens.

## DEATHS.

HUTCHESON—Advices received here this afternoon that the remains of Miss ARCHIBALD HUTCHESON, who died in Minaca, Chihuahua, Mexico, on the 5th and which have been expected here for the past week, were buried in that city on the 11th inst.

LEE—Died, at her parents' residence, No. 1348 N. Street, April 14th, RUTH CATHERINE LEE, aged one year and six months.

Funeral on Sunday, from above residence, at 2 P. M.

## Funeral Notices.

FITZGERALD—The funeral of Mr. A. FITZGERALD, who died at the residence of Dr. Wm. H. Packer, No. 215 E. Broad Street, Friday, 14th, will take place from the parlour of the residence, Sunday, at 10:30 A. M. Burial in National cemetery.

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